

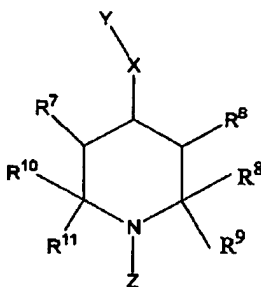
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1- 4. (canceled)

5. (currently amended) The composition of claim ~~4~~ 23, wherein said hindered amine light stabilizer is a 4-piperidinol derivative having the general formula



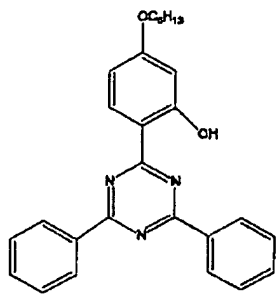
wherein X is oxygen; Y is hydrogen, hydroxyalkyl, aminoalkyl, or alkyl substituted by both hydroxyl and amino groups, where the alkyl moiety when present in Y has up to 20 carbon atoms; R⁶ and R⁷ are each independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, an alkyl group, an alkenyl group, and an arylalkyl group; R⁸, R⁹, R¹⁰, and R¹¹ are each independently selected from the group consisting of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, phenyl, an arylalkyl group, and an aromatic heterocyclic group having 5 or 6 carbon and containing an oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen atom, or R⁸, R⁹, R¹⁰, and R¹¹ respectively, together or with the carbon atom to which they are attached are a C₅ to C₁₂ cycloalkyl group; and Z is an oxy radical, an alkyl group, an alkenyl group, an alkoxyalkyl group, or an arylalkyl group that is unsubstituted or which has one or more substituents in its aryl moiety.

6. (canceled)

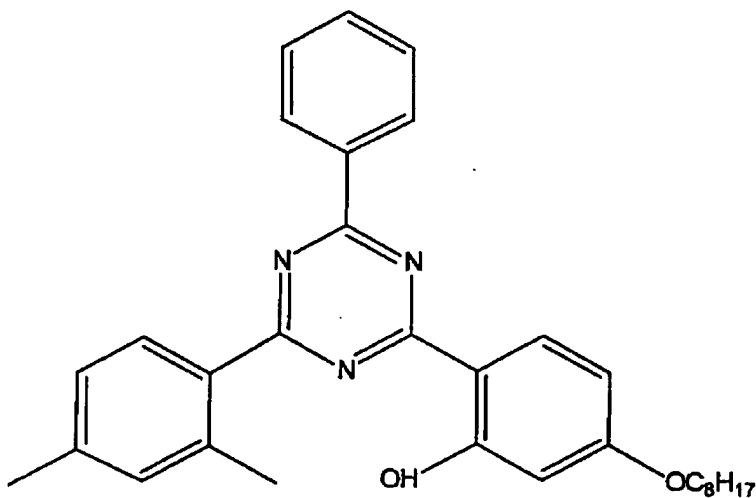
7. (currently amended) The composition of claim 23, wherein said hindered amine light stabilizer is present in an amount greater than 0.1% by weight, and less than 10% by weight of the total weight of said upper layer.

8. (canceled)

9. (previously presented) The composition of claim 23, wherein said low volatility hydroxyphenyl-triazine or -pyrimidine UV absorber has the formula:



or the formula:



10. (canceled)

11. (previously presented) The composition of claim 23, wherein the substrate comprises polycarbonate.

12. (previously presented) The composition of claim 23, wherein the substrate is in the form of a film.

13. (previously presented) The composition of claim 23 having a gloss measured at an angle of 60 degrees of more than 60%, a change in gloss of less than 20% after 3000 hours of weathering according to the ISO4892-2A protocol, and a change in color of less than 3 after 3000 hours of weathering according to the ISO4892-2A protocol.

14. (previously presented) The composition of claim 13 wherein the gloss is greater than 70%, the change in gloss is less than 15%, and the change in color is less than 2.

15. (previously presented) The composition of claim 13, wherein the gloss is greater than 80%, the change in gloss is less than 10%, and the change in color is less than 1.

16. (previously presented) The composition of claim 23 having a gloss measured at an angle of 60 degrees of more than 75%, a change in gloss of less than 15% after heat aging at 80°C for three months, and a change in color of less than 2 after heat aging at 80°C for three months.

17. (previously presented) The composition of claim 16 wherein the gloss is greater than 80%, the change in gloss is less than 10%, and the change in color is less than 1.5.

18. (previously presented) The composition of claim 13, wherein the gloss is greater than 85%, the change in gloss is less than 5%, and the change in color is less than 1.

19. (canceled)

20. (previously presented) An article comprising the composition of claim 23.

21. (original) An article comprising the composition of claim 12.

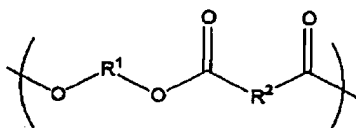
22. (previously presented) A method for the manufacture of a multilayer article, comprising blow molding the composition of claim 23.

23. (currently amended) A layered composition comprising:
an upper layer consisting essentially of:

- (a) a polymer system consisting essentially of a cycloaliphatic polyester; and
- (b) 0.01 to 10% by weight of a low volatility hydroxyphenyl-triazine or -pyrimidine UV absorber that contains a 2,4,6-trisaryl-1,3,5-triazine moiety and a free hydroxyl group, or that contains a 2,4,6-trisaryl-1,3-pyrimidine moiety and a free hydroxyl group hydroxyphenyl triazine or hydroxyphenyl pyrimidine or a mixture thereof; and
- (c) 0.01 to 10% by weight of a hindered amine light stabilizer;

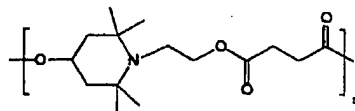
an intermediate layer consisting essentially of a polymer system of a cycloaliphatic polyester and optionally one or more materials selected from the group consisting of TiO₂, dyes, pigments and special effects additives; and

a polymeric substrate, wherein the intermediate layer is disposed between and in intimate contact with the upper layer and the polymeric substrate, wherein said cycloaliphatic polyester has recurring units of the formula:

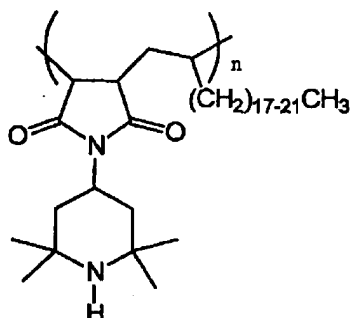


wherein R^1 and R^2 are each a cyclohexylidene, and

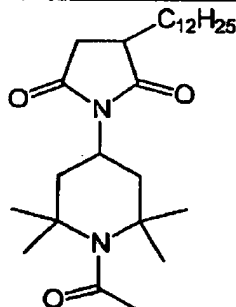
wherein said hindered amine light stabilizer comprises a substituted piperidine moiety or an oligomer substituted piperidine moiety, or has the formula:



wherein n is on average greater than about 9, and less than 12, by the formula:



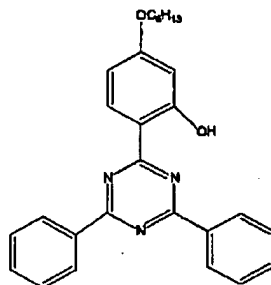
wherein n is on average greater than 4, and less than 7, by the formula:



or a mixture comprising at least one of the foregoing hindered amine light stabilizers.

24. (previously presented) The composition of claim 23, wherein the cycloaliphatic polyester is poly-1,4-cyclohexane-dimethanol-1,4-cyclohexanedicarboxylate.

25. (new) The composition of claim 24, wherein the low volatility hydroxyphenyl-triazine or -pyrimidine UV absorber is a mixture of a compound of the formula:



and a compound of the formula:

